



# WASHINGTON HERALD

WARMER

For Ohio: Partly cloudy and slightly warmer tonight and Sunday.

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Ten Cents a Week

## COAL SHORTAGE THROWS THOUSANDS IN OHIO OUT OF WORK STATE IS FACE TO FACE WITH PARALYZING COAL FAMINE

### COLLAPSE OF RUSS REVOLT IS RUMORED

General Kaledines Is Taken Prisoner When Important Cities Fall to Lenine's Forces.

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Partial, if not complete collapse of the counter revolution in Russia is indicated in an announcement by a dispatch from the official news agency which says the Bolsheviks have captured three important cities in the Don Cossack territory, and that General Kaledines, leader of the Don Cossacks has been arrested, apparently by his own generals.

General Kaledines' fall probably follows the capture of Rostovna, Thilshern and Tanganrog by the Bolsheviks.

#### OFFENSIVE IN WEST

The people of Germany are reported to be looking forward to a supreme effort on the western front, but so far it has not developed.

### SOME HEAVY FIGHTING IS IN PROGRESS

Italian Lines Subjected to Heavy Assaults by Teutons.

(By Associated Press Cable)

Italian Army Headquarters in Northern Italy, December 15.—Heavy fighting is in progress today on the mountain front in the northeast of the Brenna river.

The enemy is attempting to advance his positions as he did those west of the river, which would give him two lines of approach to the Brenna valley and open plains.

#### IN PALESTINE

(By Associated Press Cable) London, December 15.—The British have made another advance in Palestine northeast of Jerusalem.

#### NIGHT SESSION

By Associated Press Dispatch. Concord, N. C., December 15.—In the morning session of the trial of Gaston B. Means, accused of the murder of Mrs. Maude A. King, might include a night session tonight, in hope of the case reaching the jury before adjournment over Sunday.

### ACTUAL WORK ON DRAFT PLAN

By Associated Press Dispatch. Washington, December 15.—The War Department's huge task of classifying the nation's man power for army service actually began today with the first five per cent of the questionnaires, at the same time recruiting facilities throughout the country already overtaxed with recent enlistments threatened to give way before the rush of draft registrants eager to avail themselves of the last day to volunteer.

#### LOADING TRAINS FOR HALIFAX RELIEF



RELIEF FOR HALIFAX

Ellis Russell is in charge of the train sent from New York City. Captain A. L. Boyce, who has been in charge of forwarding Christmas gifts to the soldiers in France, went along, as did Miss Jessie Forbes, a native of Halifax, who has seen service on the French battlefields.

### CONGRESSMAN TINKHAM IN AUTO CRASH

Machine Skids Off Mountain Side in Italy.

(By Associated Press Cable)

Italian Army Headquarters in Italy, December 14.—An automobile in which Congressman George H. Tinkham, of Boston, was riding today on the northern mountain front, skidded over the mountain side and dropped 20 feet.

Congressman Tinkham, who fired the first American shot against Austria, received slight injuries and was cared for by a military surgeon.

### STUCKEY IS HELD BY AUTHORITIES

By Associated Press Dispatch. Columbus, O., December 15.—Fred Stuckey, of Fayette county, has been turned over as a slacker to the military authorities for compulsory military service.

He was indicted yesterday by the Federal grand jury.

### FARM LOAN BOARD WOULD BUY BONDS

By Associated Press Dispatch. Washington, December 15.—The Federal Farm Loan Board today asked Congress to authorize the treasury to buy \$100,000,000 worth of farm loan bonds and the same amount next year to strengthen the market for the securities.

### CLAIM AMERICAN IS HELD IN RUSSIA

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Petrograd, December 15.—Charles Smith, of St. Louis, a member of the staff of John F. Stevens, head of the American Railway Commission to Russia, is reported to have been arrested. Mr. Smith is reported to have been arrested in Siberia in company with a former Russian assistant minister of railways, who is held by the Bolsheviks as a member of the provisional government.

Ambassador Francis has taken steps for intervention in the matter. At Bolshevik headquarters it was stated that if the American had been arrested it was a mistake and he would be released at once.

### SHELL STRUCK TOOL BOXES

(Associated Press Cable)

With American Army in France, December 15.—bursting shell has wounded two American railway engineers working behind the British front. The projectile struck in a pile of picks, shovels and other tools.

### VOTE NEXT MONDAY

Washington, December 15.—A vote on the constitutional amendment for prohibition at five o'clock next Monday afternoon was agreed to today in the house.

Sponsors of the resolution claim a safe margin over the necessary two-thirds vote.

### NORWAY'S LOSS

(Associated Press Cable)

London, December 15.—It is officially stated that Norway has lost 5,000 sailors during the war, a Central News dispatch reports today.

The sinking of two more steam ships is reported in the dispatch.

Cold Weather Has Stopped the Wheels of the Transportation Companies.

Promise of Moderating Weather Conditions Brings Hope for Facilitated Coal Car Movements.

Cox Renews His Plea to Federal Authorities.

Cleveland and Pittsburg in Dire Straits.

Whole State Is Gripped by Cold and Fuel Famine.

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Columbus, O., December 15.—Thousands of Ohio men were out of employment temporarily today because of the coal shortage, and indications were other thousands would be laid off tomorrow unless certain sections of the state obtain immediate supplies of coal.

The fuel administration was doing everything possible to obtain coal and rush it to the points needed.

It was pointed out the weather predictions were for rising temperature. This will facilitate railroad transportation and will enable large shipments of coal.

In a telegram declaring that Cleveland schools, hospitals and other utilities will have to close unless they obtain coal immediately, Gov. Cox today pleaded with the Federal authorities for orders for quick coal shipments to Cleveland from eastern Ohio.

Governor Cox announced today he has accepted the invitation of Senator Reed of Missouri to appear before the Senate Committee on manufactures to give details of the Ohio coal shortage. The committee hearing has been regarded as the first step in a Federal probe into the coal situation in Ohio.

#### TRANSPORTATION

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Washington, December 15.—After a conference with fuel administrator Garfield today Chairman Thompson of the operating committee of the eastern railroads declared the coal famine was due more to a shortage of transportation facilities than to coal.

### COAL SHORTAGE GRIPS CLEVELAND 100,000 MEN IDLE

Many Industries, Including War Supply Works, Compelled to Close.

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Cleveland, O., December 15.—One hundred thousand men were out of work and hundreds of the largest manufacturing plants of Cleveland were shut down today because of the shortage of coal.

The companies affected, many of them turning out rush orders of war materials, including shells, motor cars

### KAISER TO OFFER PEACE

London, December 15.—(Associated Press Cable) — Emperor William in his Christmas message proposes to make a final peace offer to his enemies, on whom, in case of rejection, will fall the "responsibility for bloodshed in 1918," according to an unofficial Berlin telegram, forwarded by the Exchange Telegraph Company.

#### M. CAILLAUX



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Caillaux, with Louis Loustalot, Deputies in the French Chamber of Deputies, are named in requests for authorization of proceeding against Deputies directed to Paul Deschanek, President of the Chamber. The demands were made by General Dubail, the Military Governor of Paris.

Caillaux was recently accused by Gustave Herve of being the center of the campaign for a ruinous and dishonorable peace.

and airplane parts and other war necessities, depend upon the Cleveland Electric Illuminating Company for electric power.

Late yesterday the coal shortage reached such an acute stage the company shut off the electric current to all industrial plants.

#### CINCINNATI TOO

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Cincinnati, O., December 15.—"Unless coal is received immediately we will be compelled to discontinue service in the western section of the city at noon tomorrow."

This statement was issued this morning by the Cincinnati Traction Company, which operates the street cars of the city.

#### PITTSBURGH PINCHED.

Pittsburgh, December 15.—(Associated Press Dispatch)—The most serious coal shortage in the history of Pittsburgh and vicinity prevails with no immediate relief in sight.

### LEHMAN'S DEFENSE BEING UNRAVELED

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Wauseon, O., December 15.—Daniel Lehman and his wife, father and mother of Fred Lehman, will be among the first witnesses called by the defense in the Lehman murder trial today.

This announcement was made this morning by the attorney for the defense following persistent rumors that they would not be called.

### BIG DRIVE BEING MET BY BRITISH

Haig's Men Recapture Trench Lines from German Forces.

(By Associated Press Cable)

London, December 15.—With another reported peace offer about to be made Germany and Austria-Hungary are continuing their military drive southward from the Alps and coupling this threat of crushing Italy with the menace of a German offensive on the western front.

Field Marshal Haig's troops have met the last German attack in Flanders, where a trench was taken by the Germans, with an attack in which a considerable part of the position was recovered.

#### COUNCIL MEETS

(By Associated Press Cable)

London, December 15.—The inter-Allied council, which is to take up questions of war purchases and finances met in London today.

Oscar Crossby, Assistant Secretary of the United States Treasury was elected president.

#### TREATY READY

(Associated Press Cable)

Amsterdam, December 15.—A treaty between Russia and Germany has been formulated, according to an official German statement received here today. The German announcement follows:

"On the part of both sides the conditions of a treaty were formulated Friday. As, however, the Russian delegates desire to obtain instructions on some points, the general discussions were postponed until Saturday."

### INVESTIGATION TAKEN UP AGAIN

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Washington, December 15.—Congressional investigation of the conduct of the war widened by a proposed House committee inquiry into naval preparations, was resumed in executive session today by the Senate Military Committee, with Major General Crozier on the stand for the fourth day.

The naval investigation probably will begin tomorrow.

### FLOUR DISTRIBUTOR

By Associated Press Dispatch.

New York, December 15.—George A. Zabriskie, a member of the New York Produce Exchange today accepted the appointment as head flour distributor of the Food Administration. He will supervise the distribution of flour through the nation's retail trade from the millers to consumers.



### A More Practical Gift Than Hosiery

Is hard to find and better hosiery than our famous Gordon line can not be found.  
Xmas Hosiery made of all pure silk in either plain or fancy patterns at .....\$1.25, \$1.75, \$2.00  
An excellent hose in silk and fibre at .....85c  
All Stockings Packed in Attractive Boxes.

# SANTA CLAUS' HEADQUARTERS



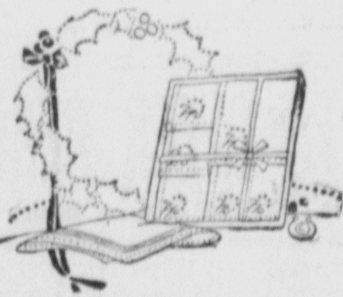
### Attractive Xmas Blouses

**\$3.95 and \$4.95**

A gift that is sure to please can be selected from these assortments.  
Other Waists....\$1, \$2 up to \$12.95  
Our Xmas showing was never more complete.  
All Waists Packed in Attractive Xmas Boxes.



### Who Does Not Want Kerchiefs For Christmas?



Chorus answers "Nobody!" Especially nobody will feel disappointed at receiving the handkerchiefs which we have piled up for Christmas shoppers.  
Plain or hemstitched, embroidered or ribbed, these handkerchiefs all have delightful moderate price tags  
Plain or embroidered Swiss in either colors or white.....5c, 10c, 15c  
Crepe de Chine and all linen, very good indeed .....25c  
Maderia, Venice Lace, hand crocheted and novelties at 35, 50, 75c, \$1, \$1.50

# STUTSON'S



### Make Your Men Folks Welcome Santa

A Gift Chosen From This List is Sure to Please.

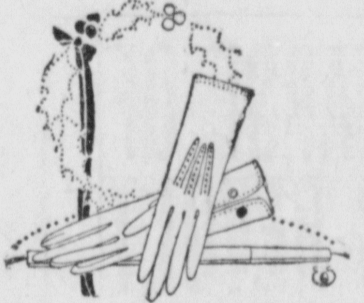
- Neckties .....50c to \$1.00
  - Suspenders .....50c and 75c
  - Scarfs .....\$1.25 & \$2.00
  - Garters .....35c to 50c
  - Pipes .....\$1.50 to \$5.00
  - Cigarette Cases .....75c to \$3.50
  - Cigar Holders .....50c to \$2.50
  - Safety Razors .....\$1.00 to \$6.00
  - Cigar Cases .....50c to \$1.00
  - Bill Folds .....\$1.25 to \$3.00
  - Collar Bags .....\$1.50 to \$2.00
  - Playing Cards in cases.....\$1.00 & \$1.25
  - Leather Belts .....50c and \$1.00
  - Half Hose .....50c, 75c, \$1.00
  - Military Brushes .....\$1.00 to \$3.50
  - Pullman Slippers .....\$1.50
  - Necktie Holders .....\$1.25
  - Gold Knives .....\$1.00
  - Traveling Cases .....\$5.00
  - Travelers' Writing Pads.....\$3.00
  - Garment Hangers in case.....65c
  - Grips and Suit Cases.....\$5.00 to \$29.50
  - Humidors .....50c to \$5.00
  - Smoking Stands .....\$1.00 to \$2.50
  - Reading Lamps .....\$6.75 to \$12.50
  - Handkerchiefs .....5c to 50c
- Useful gifts for Soldiers can now be purchased in this same department. : : : :

### The Gladdest Hand at Yuletide

It will be the one that has received one or more of these smooth, snug-fitting, luxuriously comfortable gloves of which we have laid in so large a stock.

When you can make so many glad hands at such little cost as the following list displays, why not do it today—a couple of times?

- Gloves of Lambskin and Washable Cape .....\$2.00 & \$2.50
- Gloves of French kid.....\$2.50 & \$2.75
- Extra heavy silk gloves.....\$1.25 & \$1.50
- Children's gloves in both fabrics and kid.



### Silk Underwear for Xmas

Packed in a Beautiful Box. Any of the List Makes a Dandy Gift

- In Crepe de Chine and Wash Satin in either flesh or white, you will see
- Camisoles at.....\$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00 and \$2.50
- Combinations at .....\$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.45, \$4.75 and \$5.00
- Gowns at .....\$4.95 and \$5.45
- Petticoats at .....\$4.85 and \$5.50
- Bloomers at .....\$2.19 and \$2.69
- In soft Nainsooks and Long Cloths:—
- Corset Covers .....25c, 50c, 75c, 98c
- Combinations at .....98c, \$1.19, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.79, \$2.00 and \$2.25
- Gowns at .....98c, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50
- Pajamas, either two piece or "Billie Burke" in pink crepe.....\$2.00 and \$2.50

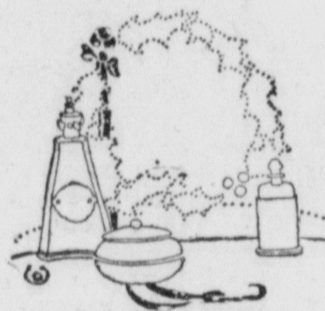


### Christmas Sale of Silks and Velvets

Taffetas, 36 inches wide in stripes and plaids, also good assortments of satins and messalines formerly priced up to \$2.75, but in this great Xmas special, per yard .....\$1.85  
Crepe Meters and Pussy Willow Taffetas, an excellent assortment of 42 in. soft luxurious silks in all shades, priced up to \$2.50; very special indeed at per yard .....\$1.98  
Crepe de Chines, 40 inches wide in all shades, worth \$2.00 .....\$1.45  
Georgette Crepe—most every shade is here at per yard .....\$1.65  
Georgette Satin—The season's most fashionable silk .....\$3.85  
Costume Velvet in all shades, 27 in. wide, now per yard .....\$1.39  
Costume Velvets, 36 in. wide in all shades, worth up to \$2.50, now.....\$1.98  
All Silk Chiffon Velvet 40 in. wide, all shades; formerly priced up to \$7.00, now .....\$4.98  
ALL PURCHASES WILL BE PACKED IN ATTRACTIVE XMAS BOXES.



### For Christmas—A Package of Beauty



Personal loveliness must always depend in good part on personal care—and that in turn on the intelligent use of up-to-date toilet aids. We guess that for a moderate outlay you can hardly please a lady better than by stepping up to our toilet-articles counters and picking a box or bottle or something else pretty from that shining array.

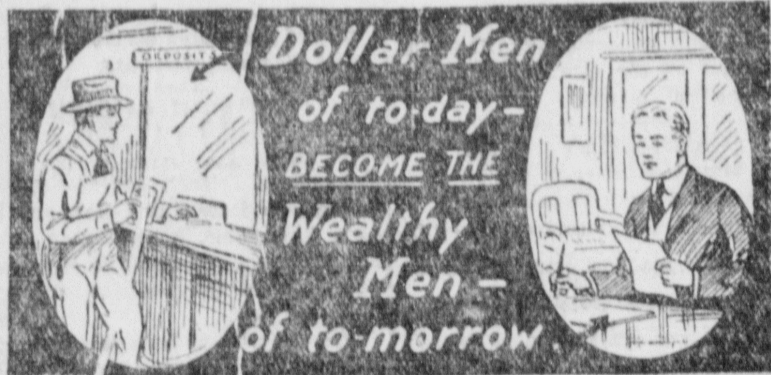
You will find in our department complete displays of the following well known line at moderate prices: Mary Garden, Helba, Speilers, Ricksecker, Hudwets, Colgates, Vantines and Iyer. Prices from.....25c to \$5.00

### Cut Glass for Christmas

MANY OF YOUR GIFT PROBLEMS WILL BE SOLVED WHEN YOU SEE OUR SUPERB DISPLAY OF CUT GLASS.  
MOST ANY SIZE OR STYLE OF BOWLS, COMPORTS, DISHES, ETC., IS TO BE FOUND HERE. EXCEEDINGLY ATTRACTIVE ARTICLES AT—



**25c, 50c, 75c and \$1.00**



**Dollar Men of today—BECOME THE Wealthy Men of tomorrow**

Many of Our Savings Depositors opened their accounts with just \$1.00

But how their dollars have grown since  
Into hundreds, and in some cases, thousands of dollars

It is just a matter of saving so much each week or month, but the important part is the START.

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STRENGTH ~ WASHINGTON, C.H. OHIO ~ SERVICE

### 4000 ADDITIONAL RED CROSS MEMBERS WANTED IN FAYETTE

The Red Cross drive for 4,000 additional members in Fayette county will open Monday, December 17th, and close Christmas Eve, and every person in the city and county who has the welfare of American soldiers and sailors, as well as the wounded who fall in battle, at heart, are expected to avail themselves of this opportunity to show their colors.

At the present time Fayette county has only 700 members of the Red Cross and has been a "slacker" insofar as patriotic response to the Red Cross has been concerned, those who became members being chiefly those who are usually prompt to respond in such vital matters.

But the membership must be far more extensive, and the men and women who have stood back must now come to the front and do their bit for the Red Cross.

Membership in the Red Cross is \$1 or \$2 or \$5, the latter being a sustaining membership, and it is of vital importance that the entire 4,000 members be enrolled during the campaign next week.

Mr. Thomas H. Craig is county chairman of the work, and H. R. Rodecker secretary. Committeemen are now being chosen and the drive will open in real earnest next week.

### SKATERS ENJOYING PLENTY OF SPORT

Since the recent cold snap which speedily formed unusually thick ice on the creeks and ponds, a great many persons have taken advantage of the opportunity afforded for ice skating, and have been enjoying the winter sport.

Many jolly skating parties have been held among the younger set.

### PENNSY SELECTS FEED AT THE CHERRY

Fifty-five Pennsylvania selects, or drafted men, enroute from their homes to Camp Sherman, Chillicothe, arrived in this city over the B. & O. Friday evening, and stopped at the Cherry Hotel for supper.

The car containing the selects was attached to No. 70, east bound B. & O. train on the Wellston division.

### FINE SLEIGHING THROUGHOUT COUNTY

Since old King Winter let loose his legions, with an accompaniment of ten inches of snow and zero weather, it has been almost impossible to travel in buggies or automobiles, so sleighs and sleds of all descriptions have been called into service.

The unprecedented demand for sleighs has caused a serious shortage of them.

### ANNUAL INSTITUTE AT BUENA VISTA

The 13th annual Farmers' Institute will be held at Buena Vista will take place this year on Friday and Saturday, December 21st and 22nd, and the committee is now busy completing plans for an exceptionally good institute, which will be held in the M. E. church as usual. The Ladies' Aid Society of the church will serve meals each day.

### CALLS ATTENTION TO SHEEP KILLED

Food Administrator Fred C. Croxton has written to Sheriff Jones calling attention to the damage inflicted in this county by dogs, last year, and the number of sheep killed and injured.

### LOW TEMPERATURE IN OHIO CITIES

Low temperatures Friday night were recorded as follows in the cities designated: Washington C. H. 12 below zero; Chillicothe 4 below; Wilmington 12 below; Marietta 12 below; Mt. Vernon 18 below.

### FITZPATRICK. FUNERAL SERVICES OF EDITH WEISER

A large number of sorrowing friends and relatives filled the Christian Church Friday afternoon to attend the funeral services of Edith Weiser.

Rev. G. E. Grove conducted simple but effecting services, and spoke feelingly of the sorrow occasioned by the death of this young girl.

A quartette composed of Mrs. Corda Toops, Mrs. Clark Merhson, Mrs. Jasper Blackmore and Miss Mabel Jones, sang three hymns "Going Down the Valley," "Some Sweet Day" and "Safe in the Arms of Jesus". The flowers were many and beautiful designs.

Six young girl friends were the pall-bearers; Misses May Swartz, Grace Gault, Esther DeLong, Bernice Cessler, Mrs. Hughey Thompson and Mrs. Anna Arnold.

Burial was made in the Washington cemetery.

### SUNDAY SCHOOL AT THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sunday School will be held at the Presbyterian church, as usual, tomorrow morning. Let everyone rally and help to make this a banner Sunday.  
SUPT. CARY PERSINGER.

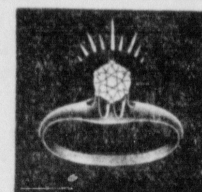
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### FITZPATRICK.

Robert Fitzpatrick, aged 74, died at his home on the Bogus Road Friday afternoon. He is survived by a wife and eight children, Nellie Merritt, of New Holland; Minnie Haines, Orley, Emma and Ollie, of Washington; Mattie Myers of Springfield; Charles of Austin and Roy of Cincinnati.

Funeral services will be held Sunday at 1 p. m. at the home. Burial in the Bloomingburg cemetery.



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CASCARA QUININE

The old family remedy—in tablet form—safe, sure, easy to take. No opiates—no unpleasant after effects. Cures colds in 24 hours—Grip in 3 days. Money back if it fails. Get the genuine box with Red Top and Mr. Hill's picture on it. 24 Tablets for 25c. At Any Drug Store

## Social and Personal

The Daughters of the American Revolution Lodge of Camp Sherman will be dedicated next Wednesday, December the 19th. The dedicatory exercises will be held at eleven o'clock and luncheon at one o'clock.

All Ohio Daughters are invited but reservation must be made at once with Mrs. Fred S. Dunham, State Secretary, 9318 Talbot Avenue, Cincinnati.

Owing to the nearness of Camp Sherman to this city, it is expected that a number of Daughters from this city will go. Among those who have already signified their intention of going are the Regent, Mrs. W. B. Woodward, daughter, Miss Ada, Meadames E. N. Holloway, Eliza Waddell, M. S. Daugherty, Ray Maynard, George A. Robinson, Misses Fannie Persinger, Rose McLean and Mabel Briggs.

Any other Daughters who will be able to go are asked to notify Mrs. Woodward at once as the names must be forwarded to Cleveland tomorrow.

Mrs. E. L. Harris of Cleveland, the state regent of the Daughters of the American Revolution, with Mrs. W. H. Smith, also of Cleveland, Mrs. J. T. Mack of Sandusky, Mrs. H. B. Gooding of Tiffin, Mrs. Frank C. Martin of Columbus, chairman of the four Ohio districts for the Hostess House fund, and Mrs. Herbert Backus, regent of the Columbus Chapter, D. A. R. and a member of the board of directors of the state organization, spent Wednesday at Camp Sherman, Chillicothe. The object of the visit was to confer with the Camp Sherman community committee in regard to the turning over to the government the D. A. R. lodge. The committee consists of Mr. L. H. Weir, chairman of the war department commission of training camp activities; Mr. D. M. Massie of Chillicothe, a member of the war council; Mr. J. M. Telleen of the bureau of Red Cross service, and Captain Y. E. Rhodes, engineer with the United States re-

serves, who is the military member designated by the commanding general of Camp Sherman.

Members of the committee met Captain Rhodes at the Red Cross community house, and after adjourning to the Hostess House, were conducted over the building by General Glenn and Captain Rhodes. Mrs. Glenn and her sister, Mrs. Squires of St. Paul Minn., were in the party, and all were highly pleased with the progress made on the building.

At a pretty little home wedding Friday evening at half past seven o'clock Miss Ruth Clark, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jud Clark, became the bride of Mr. Verne S. Beale, of Urbana.

Rev. G. L. Hart, pastor of the First Baptist church, performed the ring ceremony, which was witnessed only by the immediate family.

A pink and white color scheme was effectively carried out in the decorations of chrysanthemums, carnations and a profusion of greenery.

The bride, a very pretty brunette, was most becomingly attired in a smartly tailored suit of midnight blue gabardine with georgette blouse to match, black velvet hat with split ostrich trimming and Taupe Fox furs.

A sweet, attractive girl, who has been a favorite with her intimates and counts by the score the friends and acquaintances made during several years of business life in the ready-to-wear department of the Frank L. Stutson Co. store, the bride's departure for a new home is sincerely regretted.

The bridegroom, formerly manager of the Jess W. Smith shoe department, of this city, is now manager of the Brown Shoe Store of Urbana, and a rising young business man of marked ability. He has a home comfortably furnished and in readiness for his bride in Urbana.

A wedding supper was served before the young couple left on the 8:37 B. & O. train for their new home, to which they will be followed by good wishes galore.

Mrs. Anna B. Sample, of Columbus, an aunt of the bride, was the only out of town guest.

Warner L. Southard, of Camp Sherman, Montgomery, Ala., is a guest at the home of Mrs. J. L. Chapman over Sunday.

Mr. G. O. Cooper rider spent Friday in Chillicothe.

Misses Eva McClure, Martha and Anna Grace McCoy of Bloomingburg were shopping visitors here today.

Mrs. Mary Briggs, of Detroit, Mich. is the guest of Mrs. Eliza Todhunter.

Mr. J. H. Bliss was a business visitor in Chillicothe.

Mr. Otis Garringer went to Fairfield today to enlist in the Aviation Corps.

Mrs. Alice Moorman and Mrs. Margaret Colwell are spending Sunday the guests of Mrs. Willis Jones in Columbus.

Lt. Homer Floyd left this week for Rockford, Ill. after a visit with his brother, Mr. D. L. Thompson, and family and in Columbus.

Miss Florence Ogilve accompanied Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Boyd to St. Petersburg, Fla., Saturday, and expects to spend the winter in the south. Dr. and Mrs. G. C. Emmons have leased Miss Ogilve's house and will occupy it during her absence.

Miss Lela Draise was a shopping visitor from Mt. Sterling here today.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Thompson and little daughter, Willa Jane, made a sleighing trip up from Fruitdale, Friday to be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Smith until Sunday.

Mrs. E. N. Holloway returned Friday night from a visit in Louisville, Ky.

Mrs. Ed. Kiever, of Bloomingburg, was a visitor in this city, Saturday.

Mrs. Francis Fock and little son, John McDonald, Jr., of Dayton are visiting Mr. and Mrs. John McDonald while James McDonald is home from Camp Jackson on a furlough.

Miss Maude Rittenhouse, of Austin, is shopping here today.

Mrs. Del Pursell and son, William, of Bloomingburg, spent Saturday here.

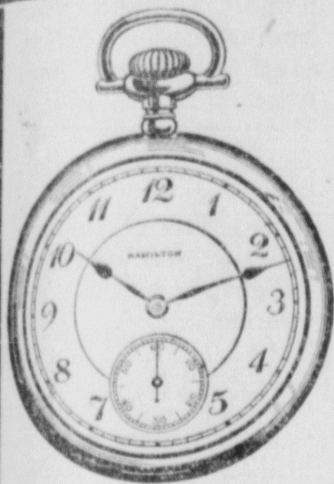
Raymond Bennett who enlisted, Wednesday in the U. S. Navy, leaves this evening for Norfolk, Va.

Mr. Frank McCormick is very low at the Hodson Hospital, with little hope entertained for his recovery.

Miss Mabel Socin of Tyrone Pennsylvania is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Nell B. Jones.

Miss Nelle Marshall has received a telegram from her brother, Maurice Marshall, saying that he had received the appointment of First Lieutenant of Engineers, assigned to

J. O. U. A. M.  
Regular meeting of the J. O. U. A. M. at the Odd Fellows' hall, Monday night at 7:30 p. m. All member are requested to be present. Business of importance.  
JACK WOLFE, Coun.



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Elegant solid gold filled, hand engraved case, dust proof, guaranteed 20 years Genuine latest improved Elgin movement; has 15 genuine ruby and garnet jewels; patent safety pin-son, breguet hair spring; patented self-adjusting balance wheel; glass enameled dial. This watch sells everywhere for \$20.

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FOR HER

If there is trouble in selecting a gift for a lady it is due to confusion caused by such an array of suitable items: Perfumes, Atomizers, Ivory Goods, Leather Goods, Sets, Kodaks, Stationery, Photo Calendars, Flashlights, Candy, Etc.

FOR HIM

Sentiment does not play as great a part in a man's life as it does in woman's. He wants something useful. Cigars, Pipes, Cigar and Cigarette Cases, Safety Razors, Shaving Sets, Brushes, Pocket Books, Traveling Cases, Ingersoll Watches, Flash-Lights, Cameras, Fountain Pens, etc.

FOR "DAD" and MOTHER

The older folks are interested in Christmas, too. But they always want useful things. Our stock will suggest many appropriate items:

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Our magnificent assortment and low prices assure an Economical and Merry Christmas For All.

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## Smith's Mark-Down Sale of Winter Coats

FEATURING FOUR HUNDRED NEW COATS AT JANUARY CLEARANCE PRICES. THIS CHRISTMAS WE ARE GOING TO SELL COATS—FASHIONABLE, UP TO DATE COATS—AT MIGHTY SAVINGS TO YOU. FORMER SELLING PRICES HAVE BEEN ENTIRELY DISREGARDED — PRICES HAVE BEEN DEEPLY CUT. WE SAY IN ALL EARNESTNESS THAT THESE COATS ARE DECIDEDLY SUPERIOR, CORRECT MATERIALS, CLEANLY MADE, EXCELLENT STYLES. THIS SALE AFFECTS NEARLY OUR ENTIRE STOCK—YOU CHOOSE FROM HUNDREDS OF MODELS. THESE PRICES ARE OFFERED NEARLY A MONTH AHEAD OF CLEARANCE TIME. BUY NOW AND BUY AT SMITH'S.

OUR CLOTH COATS ARE NOW PRICED AT

**\$9.95, \$12.95, \$14.95 \$17.50, \$19.95, \$24.95, \$29.95, \$32.50**  
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OUR PLUSH AND VELOUR DE NORD COATS ARE PRICED

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## Women's and Misses' Suits

TAKE YOUR CHOICE OF ANY SUIT AT ABOUT HALF PRICE. WE HAVE GONE THE LIMIT ON REDUCTIONS IN SUITS. GOOD ALL WOOL MATERIALS, CLEVERLY MADE, WITH LOTS OF STYLE, ARE HERE AT HALF PRICE. ABOUT 70 SUITS IN ALL NOW PRICED AT

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NO HIGHER

the 20th Regiment at Camp American University, Washington, D. C.

Mr. and Mrs. George H. Hitchcock entertain the Saturday night Bridge Club at the first meeting this season tonight.

Mr. Forest Anders returned this morning from Columbus, where he served as a member of the Federal Grand Jury, which completed its work yesterday.

Miss Jane Paul is home from Columbus over the week end.

Robert Smith of Frankfort, brother of Bernard Smith of this city is improving nicely, from a recent operation for appendicitis.

Miss Anne Saxton left Friday for Catawba, Va., to spend the winter with her niece, Mrs. Lucian Wells.

Mrs. Ida Gillespie, Deputy Inspecting Officer of Pythian Sisters, left Saturday for Zanesville to inspect the Temple there. She will also inspect Temples at Lancaster, Logan and Crooksville.

Mrs. Loring Brock is spending the day in Columbus, meeting her sister, Miss Gladys Fenner, who comes down from the O. W. U. for the day.

Mr. T. J. Hall has resigned his position as manager of the Postal Telegraph.

### THE OLD RELIABLE STILL IN THE LEAD

We have a fine line of the fanciest apples in town, consisting of 20-ounce Pippins, Bellflowers, Jonathan, York Imperial, Kinnard. These all extra fancy. Empress and Malaga grapes fancy grape fruit 10c, 3 for 25c, 12 1/2c, 2 for 25c, 7c, 4 for 25c. Florida oranges, cranberries, new nuts, California soft-shell walnuts, cream nuts, almonds, nut meats, figs, dates. A fine line of candies at live and let live prices. Just received a case of fancy holly, 15c per pound. Lake herring, fancy mackerel, corn meal 15c per sack. Now is the time to use Duffee's Cough Syrup. It will break up a cold, cure a cough and help you to get well of the grippe. It contains no opiates or poisons, pleasant to take. Big 6-oz. bottle for 25c. New phone 7771, Bell 77.

Yours,  
**J. W. DUFFEE & CO.,**  
The Old Reliable Cash Grocers.

graph offices in the Cherry Hotel. Mrs. R. M. Hart, of Cleveland, succeeds to the position and has leased for the winter Miss Anne Saxton's apartment on N. Main street.

Mrs. H. C. Ireland visited her brother Mr. Brooks Hughey, and family in Dayton the past two days.

Richard Staubus, who was seriously burned two weeks ago, is recovering, but slowly, and will not be out for some time yet.

Mrs. Hugh Smith and little son, Ansel Clyde, are spending the week end with Mrs. Smith's sister, Mrs. Martha Patton, in Columbus.

Mrs. William Vail arrived from Niles, O., Saturday to visit her parents, Capt. and Mrs. W. B. HERSHEY.

First Lieutenant George Sibert, formerly a resident of this city, is making a two weeks trip with his bride before leaving for the front under sealed orders. Lt. and Mrs. Sibert have been guests at the Cherry Hotel for the past two days.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Haggard are announcing the birth of a son, Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Morris had as their guests Friday night, Miss Hazel McCoy of Bloomingburg and Mrs. Morris's sister, Miss Mabel McCoy, of Jasper, who will be their guest over Sunday.

Mr. Ray Maddox spent the past two days in Columbus, on business.

Mr. Albert Haigler of near Jeffersonville, who has been at Jacksonville, Fla., for the past three weeks, expects to leave soon for Cornada and other places farther south in Florida.

Mr. B. F. Williams came down from Columbus to attend the funeral of his grand daughter, Miss Edith Weiser, Friday.

Mr. Eli Smith of Jeffersonville was a business visitor here today.

Mrs. Harry Pavey and daughter of Sabina, were shopping visitors here today.

Walter Johnson of Jackson and Ray Smith, of Canton, who have been employed by Mr. E. C. McCoy, left this morning for their homes to spend the Christmas vacation.

Mrs. E. C. McCoy is able to be out

again, after having been confined to her home for several days with a severe attack of tonsillitis.

Mrs. Loren Severs spent Friday in Columbus.

### NEW OFFICERS ON RED CROSS BOARD

The resignation of men whose business interests would not permit them to take up the Red Cross work as actively as their offices demanded, necessitated the election of new officers on the Red Cross board at once, to be in readiness for the oncoming Christmas drive.

The newly elected officers are T. H. Craig, chairman; Henry Brownell, vice chairman; Harry Rodecker, secretary; C. Graham Beckel, assistant secretary; Scott Hopkins, treasurer.

### CLASSIFIED

WANTED—We buy all kinds of furniture and stoves at Bellars 2nd hand store, Fayette street. 295 16

FOR SALE—A three piece hand carved antique oak bed room set. Chas. Payne, cor. Delaware and Campbell streets. 295 11

LOST—Lavallier set with pearls, between Katz corner and Tuttle's Book Store. Reward. Call Automatic 22181. 295 13

FOR RENT—Five room cottage, Columbus avenue. See Hitchcock and Dalbey. 295 16

FOR SALE—5 passenger, Ford, mechanical starter, shock absorbers. Shisler Motor Sales Co., S. Main St. 295 16

WANTED—Salesman for Bank Check Cases, Calendars, Leather Goods, Advertising Novelties and Specialties, for all lines of business. All or part time. Commission. Bankers Supply Co., Iowa City, Iowa. 295 11

LOST—Saturday morning, child's overshoe near Library. Finder call Automatic 3542. 295 11

FOR SALE—6 Collie pups. Geo. Davidson, Automatic phone 12327. 295 16

FOR SALE—One 4-hp. International Gasoline Engine, Good condition. Morgan Blacksmith Shop. 295 16

Ingersoll Radiolite wrist watches for your soldier boy. Hettesheimer, Jeweler. 295 17

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Use Soothing Musterole

When those sharp pains go shooting through your head, when your skull seems as if it would split, just rub a little Musterole on your temples and neck. It draws out the inflammation, soothes away the pain, usually giving quick relief.

Musterole is a clean, white ointment, made with oil of mustard. Better than a mustard plaster and does not blister.

Many doctors and nurses frankly recommend Musterole for sore throat, bronchitis, croup, stiff neck, asthma, neuralgia, congestion, pleurisy, rheumatism, lumbago, pains and aches of the back or joints, sprains, sore muscles, bruises, chilblains, frosted feet—colds of the chest (it often prevents pneumonia). It is always dependable.

30c and 60c jars; hospital size \$2.50.



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### Taking Coal

During the prevalence of this bitter cold weather, people without coal and unable to obtain any coal in the market are not censured very much when they take coal from the many cars standing on the sidings in the local rail road yards. Police and rail road men are not overly anxious to arrest and prosecute those people who are actually in need of coal and take it from the only place obtainable. But there are certain limits of propriety—yes; more than that—limits of honesty and fairness which, if overstepped change the character of the act from an excusable technical offense into something more serious and brings the disapproval of the public, too. Every man who takes coal should take only so much as will carry him over the present need and he should have it weighed and tender payment to the rail road company from whose sidings he obtains it. That's the only honest way to do. It's the only way to play fair with the rail road company and with the people on "up the road" whose coal has been commandeered. When people take coal here from the cars some one further on who is waiting for it is deprived. Hence only enough to meet absolute need should be taken. The coal taken is not made free even by the need. Hence it should be paid for.

### Watchful Waiting

The Entente nations, with reference to Russia, present conditions and possible future developments, have adopted the policy of the United States and are waiting, taking no decisive action, until certain that the nation, as such, is thoroughly committed. At present the Bolshevik leaders are making frantic haste to conclude a peace satisfactory to Germany. Thus far the intrigue of Lenin and Trotsky has been successful, but whether the full measure of their hopes can be realized or not is yet, a matter of grave doubt, both with the Entente nations and with Germany. The people of Russia, who understand what real democracy means and appreciate the dangers of Prussian militarism are struggling to break the grasp of the usurpers and the civilized world awaits the outcome with anxiety. Close observers agree it is not probable, when Russia's final and definite status is fixed, if the present intrigue with Germany is consummated, that the United States and the Entente will permit Lenin and Trotsky to deliver the great Russian nation, with its immense store houses of grain and oils into the hands of Germany. It must not be supposed that the statesmen of Great Britain, France and the United States have been unmindful of the menace of a peace between Germany and Russia nor that they have failed to prepare for the happening of the very emergency which now menaces. Japan the close ally, offensive and defensive, of Great Britain has thus far played no considerable part in the great war.

The betrayal of Russia by Lenin and Trotsky may open wide the door which will allow the trained millions of Japanese soldiers to play their part in the great war of the ages. Great Britain, France and the United States are watchfully waiting and in the far east Japan is watching and waiting too. Russia has time yet to save herself. Will she be able to rouse from the stupor into which she has fallen before the watchers are compelled to act?

### Village Waterworks

The time is approaching—rapidly too—when Washington must do something about the water works. Perhaps, the people are as much to blame as the Water Company for permitting present conditions to exist. In the summer time, when we need water to sprinkle streets and lawns, we are warned of a shortage and threatened with having the water turned off if we use it as it should be used. In the winter time our public schools, public buildings and second floors of residences are unsupplied because, too many people leave the water faucets open to keep the pipes from freezing. In the spring the creek overflows the tops of the wells and in the fall the water gets so low in the wells that the creek water seeps in from below. If there is a fire either the plugs are clogged, a main bursts or the pressure is low and so on down the line. It's time we were doing something aside from finding fault. That this city of ten thousand (maybe more) inhabitants must close up a school building which cost our citizens over a hundred thousand dollars because of lack of water is worse than ridiculous. We need more than village water works. The managers are affable gentlemen and no doubt have their troubles too, but the city is certainly not helpless to better conditions if they are. Even foreign controlled corporations are within reach of the people's rights now days.

### Poetry For Today

**THE REVILLE.**  
 Hark! I hear the tramp of thousands,  
 And of armed men the hum;  
 Lo! a nation's hosts have gathered  
 Round the quick alarming drum,  
 Saying, "Come  
 Freemen, come!  
 Ere your heritage be wasted," said  
 the quick alarming drum.  
 "Let me of my heart take counsel;  
 War is not of life the sum;  
 Who shall stay and reap the harvest  
 When the autumn days shall come?"  
 But the drum,  
 Echo, "Come!  
 Death shall reap the braver harvest,"  
 said the solemn sounding  
 drum.  
 "But when won the coming battle,  
 What of profit springs therefrom?  
 What if conquest, subjugation  
 Even greater ills become?"  
 But the drum  
 Answered, "Come!  
 You must to the sum to prove it,"  
 Said the Yankee answering  
 drum.  
 "What if, 'mid the cannons' thunder,  
 Whistling shot and bursting bomb,  
 When my brothers fall around me,  
 Should my heart grow cold and  
 numb?  
 But the drum  
 Answered "Come!  
 Better there in death united, than in  
 life a recreant—Come!"

Thus they answered, hoping, fearing,  
 Some in faith and doubting some,  
 Till a trumpet-voice proclaiming  
 Said, "My chosen people come!"  
 Then the drum,  
 Lo! was dumb,  
 For the great of the nation, throb-  
 bing, answered, "Lord, we  
 come!"  
 —By Bret Harte, born August 25,  
 1839.

### Weather Report

Washington, December 15.—Ohio  
 Indiana and Michigan; Fair Satur-  
 day and Sunday; warmer Sunday.  
 Tennessee and Kentucky—General-  
 ly fair Saturday and probably Sun-  
 day; slightly warmer Sunday.  
 West Virginia and Western Penn-  
 sylvania—Fair Saturday and Sunday  
 not much change in temperature.

#### WEATHER FORECAST

Ohio—Fair; warmer.  
 Daily Calendar.  
 From noon today to noon to-  
 morrow: Sun sets, 4:34; moon  
 sets, 5:54 p. m.; sun rises, 7:19.  
 CLIMATOLOGICAL CHART.  
 1:00 o'clock p. m.  
 Temperature .....16  
 Lowest last night .....12  
 Moisture Percentage .....52  
 Barometer .....30.42

### CHRISTMAS BAZAAR

Beginning December 15th, there will  
 be a Christmas Bazaar held under the  
 auspices of the Willing Workers of  
 McNaughton Memorial church, at Johnson  
 Auto Sales room, East Court St. 291 tf

### Save Money

For Money Represents  
 Life and is Both Life-  
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1. Get five per cent inter-  
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Now is the time while the  
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 Work satisfactory. Terms  
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### ARE YOUR CYLINDERS FULL OF CARBON?



When your automobile gets to knocking and won't run right, you overhaul it—or have it done. What about your body? How about your teeth? How long since you have been to the dentist? Can you run a block for a car without being "all in?" Which is of the most importance, your automobile or your body? You keep your "diver" in good shape so it will run and take you where you wish—you had better do the same with yourself by exercise and careful living. You feed your automobile as good gasoline as you can get—be careful of your own food. Scrape the carbon out of your cylinders and turn down a few grease cups where you rattle and creak. H.C.

### CLOSING OUT SALE OF 400 HEAD OF LIVE STOCK

The undersigned having sold the  
 farm and must give possession the  
 middle of December and making dis-  
 position of live stock will sell at Public  
 Auction, 5 miles north of Bloom-  
 burg, 3 miles south of Danville, 3  
 miles west of Madison Mills, 2 miles  
 east of Yatesville, on Danville and  
 Bloomingburg pike on  
**MONDAY, DECEMBER 17, 1917**  
 Free lunch at 10:30; sale starts at  
 11:00. The following described prop-  
 erty, to-wit:

- 16—HEAD OF HORSES—16**  
 1 pair grey mares, weight 3000, in  
 foal.  
 1 blk. mare, 6 yrs. old, wt. 1700; in  
 foal.  
 1 grey gelding, 6 yrs. old, wt. 1650.  
 1 pair blk geldings, 4 and 5 yrs.  
 old, wt. 3000.  
 1 brown mare, 10 yrs. old, wt. 1450;  
 bred.  
 1 blk. mare, 3 yrs. old, wt. 1350.  
 1 bay mare, 3 yrs. old, wt. 1350, ex-  
 tra good.  
 1 bay gelding, 8 yrs. old, wt. 1500.  
 1 grey gelding, 5 yrs. old, wt. 1400.  
 1 pair geldings, 4 yrs. old, wt. 2800.  
 1 blk driving horse, 8 yrs. old, wt.  
 1150.  
 1 bay gelding, 8 yrs. old, wt. 1200.  
 1 bay gelding, 3 yrs. old, wt. 1050.  
**141—HEAD OF CATTLE—141**  
 Consisting of 22 head of extra good  
 milch cows; 12 head of which are Jer-  
 sey cows and extra good, some fresh,  
 others to be fresh soon. 10 head of  
 Shorthorn milch cows; 6 yearling  
 heifers; 112 head yearling steers, wt.  
 700 to 800, these steers are extra good  
 just the right kind to buy. 1 yearling  
 Shorthorn bull extra good; if you are  
 looking for milch cows or steer cattle  
 don't miss this sale.

- 200 HEAD OF HOGS—200**  
 Immured—consisting of 25 brood  
 sows, Chester White and McGehee,  
 bred to big type Poland China boar;  
 120 head of shoats, wt. 60 to 120 lbs.;  
 52 head of fat hogs; 1 Big Type Pol-  
 and China boar; 12 yr. old Duroc  
 boar; 1 McGehee Boar.

- 23—HEAD OF SHEEP—23**  
 22 head of breeding ewes; 1 Shrop-  
 shire Buck.

**FARM IMPLEMENTS.**  
 3 farm wagons, good as new; 1 Os-  
 born binder, 8-ft. cut, good shape; 1  
 wheat drill, Hoosier, 7-11. 2 mowing  
 machines; 4 sulky breaking plows; 1  
 walking breaking plow; 1 Janesville  
 corn planter, 80 rods wire; 6 riding  
 cultivators; 2 disk harrows; 1 double;  
 1 Deering Ideal hay rake; 60-tooth har-  
 row; 1 roller; 1 Johnson corn binder  
 new 1 Dix cutting box; 1 Dane  
 2 row corn cutter; 2 hog fountains;  
 harness for 10 horses; these tools are  
 as good as new, bought last year.  
 1 cream separator, new last year;  
 1 Imperial incubator.  
**400—SHOCKS OF CORN—400**  
 1200 bu. corn in crib.  
 80 tons of silage.  
 Terms Made Known on Day of Sale.  
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 Minshall & Eckles, Auctioneers.  
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## On and After JANUARY 1st, 1918

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 opening 8:30 A. M., closing 4:00 P. M.  
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*How You Can Make a Low-Cost Investment Get 4 Per Cent Compound Interest and Do Your Bit For Liberty*

*The Latest Drive to Raise two More Billion Dollars to Help Win the War*

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UNCLE SAM SAYS TO YOU: "LEND ME \$4.12 NOW AND I WILL GIVE YOU A WAR SAVINGS CERTIFICATE that will be worth \$5 January 1, 1923. If at any time, however, you need the money, go to any Post Office and you will receive the full value of the Certificate at that particular time, plus almost 3 per cent interest. I will pay you 4 per cent interest, compounded quarterly—88c interest if you loan me \$4.12 for five years.

THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT HAS CALLED FOR \$2,000,000,000 TO BE RAISED IN SMALL SUMS FROM the people of America. It is YOUR part and OURS to get behind this perfectly rounded War financial Plan with enthusiasm and dollars. The unit of a War Savings Certificate is \$5, but for those who do not have the full \$4.12 now necessary to buy a Certificate outright, Thrift Stamps that sell for 25c each may be purchased.

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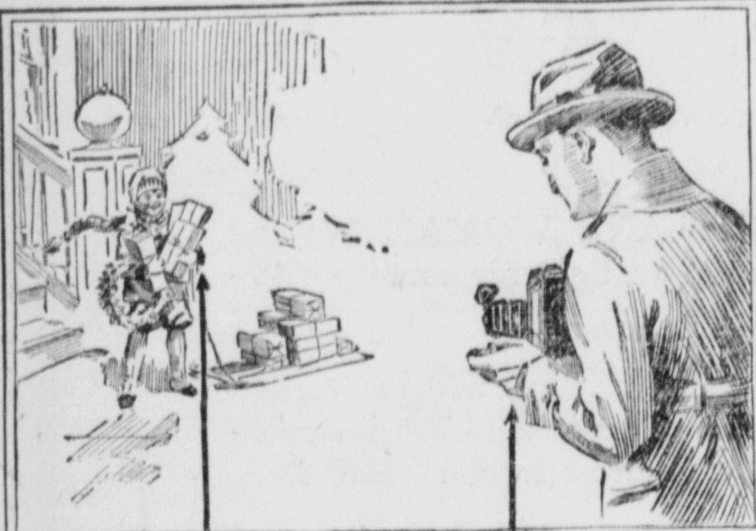
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## BURN WOOD IS ADVICE GIVEN ALL CITIZENS

**Coal Famine Reaches Most Critical Stage Today With Demand Increasing at Unprecedented Rate.**

With no more coal reaching the city until late Saturday afternoon, when a limited amount came in, the fuel famine in this city reached a still more critical point, Saturday, and the demand for coal indicated that half of the citizens were anxious to obtain fuel without delay, and that a great many citizens are entirely out of coal and are relying upon gas, wood, or actually doing without fuel.

**Urges Burning of Wood**  
Saturday afternoon D. S. Craig, chairman of the Fayette county Fuel Commission, issued a statement in which he urges all citizens who can do so to obtain wood for fuel in order to prevent still greater suffering on account of severe weather and no fuel. Chairman Craig shares the belief of a host of citizens in touch with the situation that there will be no abundant coal supply this winter.

Where ever possible the burning of wood will at least insure warmth, and at the same time conserve the coal supply, it is pointed out, and it is believed that burning wood will become general wherever it can be obtained this winter.

**Central Heat Warning**  
Manager Estberg of The Washington Gas & Electric Company, Saturday afternoon issued a warning to users of heat and light that prospects of being forced to close down were such that all users of heat and light from the plant (not applicable to gas, of course) should make immediate arrangements to meet such an emergency; that when the plant is finally forced to close down, no 24 hour notice can be given.

By obtaining from Mr. Baer of The Washington Ice Factory, consent to use a car of coal on the ice company's tracks, Mr. Estberg expects to have sufficient coal to tide over until early Monday morning providing the car could be transferred to the siding at the power plant. If it was not transferred Saturday afternoon, the power plant would be forced to close down for a short time at least on Sunday, it was stated.

**Street Lights Off**  
Friday night all street and display window lighting was left off. This applied to all surrounding towns which are lighted by the local plant. No street light will be turned on until the coal supply becomes such that there is ample to keep the plant in operation without fear of closing down.

**Keep Open Sunday**  
Coal dealers, if they have any coal on hands Sunday, will keep open throughout the day in order to offer every facility for relief.

At three o'clock Saturday afternoon only one car of coal had reached the city, but more was expected at any hour.

## DEATHS

**BOGGS**  
Willard Boggs, aged 21 years, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Boggs, died Saturday morning at his home in Millidgeville, of tubercular pneumonia. Besides his parents, he leaves a wife and a small child.  
Burial will be made Sunday afternoon in the South Plymouth and Millidgeville cemetery.

## CHANGE OF PLANS AT THE COLONIAL

The Uncle Tom Cabin, troupe which was to have appeared, at the Colonial Theater tonight were in a bad railroad wreck on the way and several of the company are in the hospital at Cincinnati. Manager Jamison wired for a special film and has the promise of it in time for tonight's showing at the Colonial.

## WRECK OCCURRED ON DELPHOS DIVISION

Saturday a wreck occurred on the Dayton and Delphos division of the B. & O.

Two passenger coaches were turned over, but fortunately no one was injured seriously, although several suffered severe cuts and bruises. It is expected the wreck will tie up traffic for several hours, and thus cause more suffering from lack of coal.

## BURIAL SERVICES MRS. ANN S. MILLIKAN

Rev. William Boynton Gage, of the First Presbyterian Church, conducted simple services over all that was mortal of Mrs. Ann S. Millikan, one of the valued pioneer residents of this city, at the homestead on Court street, Saturday afternoon.

The services were private attended only by relatives and close friends.

The burial was made in the family lot in the Washington cemetery. The pall-bearers, Messrs. Frank Johnson, E. J. Light, Frank M. Kennedy, Frank A. Chaffin, Howard Engle, Frank Kearney.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. McCoy, of Dayton, were here for the services.

## OHIO NEWS

(By American Press)

**Slugged and Robbed.**  
Dayton, O., Dec. 15.—While waiting for a train here, Earnest Chambers of Delaware, O., was knocked down by two masked men and robbed of \$150. The holdup men escaped.

**No Funds.**  
Cleveland, Dec. 15.—Failure of the state to provide for the main selective draft board of Cuyahoga county, the only one of its kind in the United States, will cause that body to end its activities.

**Girl Also Indicted.**  
Toledo, Dec. 15.—Wanda Urbayta, her brother Joseph and four others, were indicted by the grand jury for complicity in the \$37,000 Huebner brewery robbery here two weeks ago. Trials will be held after the end of the year.

**Jury Recommends Mercy.**  
Dayton, O., Dec. 15.—Theodore Cotrel was found guilty of murder in the first degree. The jury recommended mercy. Cotrel killed Lulla Noll with a dagger made from a file because he was selected for military service and he wanted no other man to have her, he claimed.

**Look Your Best, Clear White Skin**

Looking your best is simply doing that which you owe yourself and your friends. The good appearance of your face and hands are easily and pleasantly secured by the daily use of Sheeran's Cream of Quinacesed. It soothes, comforts and adds new life to the skin. Good appearance is a personal asset—cultivate it. Price 35c at all good drug stores. Advt.

## Markets

**NEW YORK STOCKS, LAST SALE.**  
New York, December 15.—American Beet Sugar 66; American Sugar Refining 92½; Baltimore & Ohio 46½; Bethlehem Steel 68; Chesapeake & Ohio 43½; Erie 13½; Kennicott Copper 29½; Louisville & Nashville 107½; Midvale Steel 41; Norfolk & Western 98; Ohio Cities Gas 34; Republic Iron and Steel 71½; United States Steel 81½; Willys Overland 17½.

### LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Chicago, December 15.—Hogs; receipts 30000; market weak; Bulk \$16.75 @ 16.80; light \$16.35 @ 16.55; heavy \$15.70 @ 16.20; pigs \$11.25 @ 13.75.  
Cattle—Receipts 200; Native beef cattle \$7.15 @ 14.15, western steers \$6.20 @ 13.10; stockers and feeders \$6.10 @ 10.50; cows and heifers \$5.00 @ 11.10; calves \$9.00 @ 16.25.  
Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 2000; market weak; wethers \$8.90 @ 13.00; lambs \$12.50 @ 16.75.

East Buffalo, December 15.—Cattle, receipts 225; market strong.  
Hogs—Receipts 4000; market slow; heavies \$17.75 @ 17.85; mixed \$17.50 @ 17.80; yorkers \$17.50 @ 17.75; light yorkers \$17.00 @ 17.25; pigs \$16.75 @ 17.00; roughs \$15.60 @ 15.75; stags \$14.00 @ 15.00.  
Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 400; market strong; lambs \$12.00 @ 19.00.

Pittsburg, December 15.—Hogs—Receipts 3000; market slower; heavies \$17.25 @ 17.40; heavy yorkers \$17.25 @ 17.40; light yorkers \$16.50 @ 16.75.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 300; market steady; top sheep \$12.00; top lambs \$18.00.  
Calves—Receipts 100; market steady; top \$16.00.

Cincinnati, O., December 15.—Hogs; receipts 3000; market slow; Packers and butchers \$16.00 @ 16.25; common to choice \$13.00 @ 15.00; pigs \$11.00 @ 13.50.  
Cattle—Receipts 400; Market steady.

Calves—\$5.50 @ 14.50.  
Lambs—\$10.00 @ 16.50.

### GRAIN MARKET

**CLOSE**  
Chicago, December 15.—Corn—Jan. \$1.21½; May \$1.19½.  
Oats—Dec. 75½.  
Pork—Jan. \$24.90.  
Lard—May \$23.72; Jan. \$23.47.  
Ribs—May \$23.35; Jan. \$23.35.

### CLOVER SEED

Prime cash (old) \$16.10; (new) \$16.35; December \$16.35; January \$16.42; February \$16.42; March \$15.90.

### ALSIKE

Prime cash \$14.50; Dec. \$14.50; Feb. \$14.70; March \$14.80.

### TIMOTHY

Prime cash (old) \$3.60; (new) \$3.70; Dec. \$3.70; March \$3.95.

### THE LOCAL MARKET.

Wheat ..... \$2.07  
Corn ..... \$1.10  
Oats ..... 70c  
**WASHINGTON PRODUCE MARKET**  
Butter ..... 32c  
Young Chickens ..... 18c  
Eggs ..... 45c  
Hens ..... 15c  
Creamery Butter (retail) ..... 53c

### MARRIAGE LICENSES

Vernon S. Beale age 32, of Urbana and Ruth Clark, age 22, of this city. Rev. Hart.

The Herald want ads always pay why not try one today.

## WONDERLAND

The Home of Good Pictures  
—TONIGHT—

## FATTY ARBUCKLE

The World's Famous Comedian In

## “Fatty at Coney Island”

In connection with the rest of the regular Saturday program.

MONDAY—Mary Pickford in “THE GOOD LITTLE DEVIL” with the regular program Monday, viz:

## The DOUBLE CROSS

Don't miss Sessue Hayakawa Wednesday in “The Jaguar's Claws,” one of the best of Paramount productions.

## SNIPE HUNTING AROUND THE CAMP

By Associated Press Dispatch.  
Camp Sherman, Chillicothe, Dec. 3. There are all kinds of “snipers” in the National Army here. This was thoroughly demonstrated recently when one of the selects had perpe-

trated upon him the ancient “snipe hunters” ruse. The victim not only spent the better part of a night holding a bag waiting for the “snipe” to appear, but was given extra duty when he was late returning to camp.

His vow is that his future “sniping” will be of a more tangible nature and that Germans instead of himself will be the victim.

## Silverware!

## Community and Rogers 1847

We will discontinue carrying Silverware, and our entire stock must be closed out by January 1st

## Regardless of Price

Our line includes Knives and Forks, Spoons, Gravey Ladles, Serving Trays, Smoking Sets, Etc.

WE ALSO SHOW A NICE LINE OF

## Safety Razors,

Pocket Cutlery, Scissors, Flashlights,

Boys' Wagons, Sleds, Skates

Storm Buggies, Robes, Blankets,

And many articles suitable for Christmas Presents  
AT LOWEST PRICES

## Samson Hardware Co.

Odd Fellows Block

Washington C. H., Ohio

Denatured Alcohol for Radiators

## WEAR-EVER ALUMINUM!

The real practical article for your Christmas giving.

## Special for Monday 10% Reduction On Our Entire Line

Open Sauce Pans, Covered Sauce Pans, Open and Covered Preserving Kettles, Tea Kettles and Double Boilers, Coffee Pots and Tea Pots.

Steamers and Frying Pans, Griddle and Waffle Moulds, Pudding Pans, Bread Pans and Cake Pans, Muffin Pans, Pie Pans and Baking Pans.

Double Roasters and Trays, Percolators.

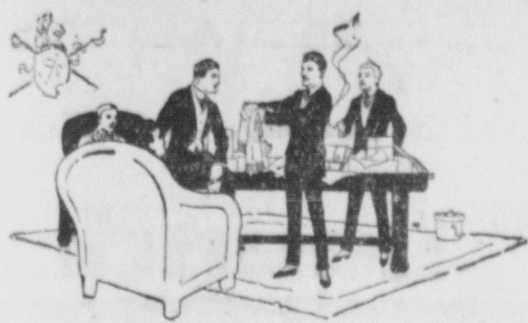
Everything in Wear-Ever Aluminum, the best made, 10 per cent. reduction Monday. If unable to come in, phone in your order. It will be held for you at the special price.

Replace utensils that wear out with utensils that wear ever.

## EXTRA SPECIAL

Fifteen 6-quart Open Preserving Kettles, sold regularly at \$1.70  
SPECIAL FOR MONDAY ONLY **\$1.39**

## FITE'S GROCERIES AND QUEENSWARE



# H. T. WILKIN & CO.

Buy Men's and Boys' Christmas Presents at 'A Man's Store'

## PUBLIC SALE Of Registered Big Type POLAND CHINA

## BROOD SOWS

At Village Farm, Bloomingburg, Ohio  
near B. & O. R. R. Station

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 19th

Commencing at 1 O'clock Sharp

## CLOSING OUT SALE

My Entire Herd Will Be Offered at Auction

Eighteen head of the Greatest Producing Sows  
ever offered at Public Auction.

Two head of Great Herd Boars—"Model Chief"  
has no equal.

Twelve of these sows raised 110 pigs last spring.  
We have added two fall yearlings and four spring  
gilts. These 18 sows are all bred and safe in pig  
to two of the greatest boars of the breed. Come to  
the sale and see the greatest lot of sows in the  
United States.

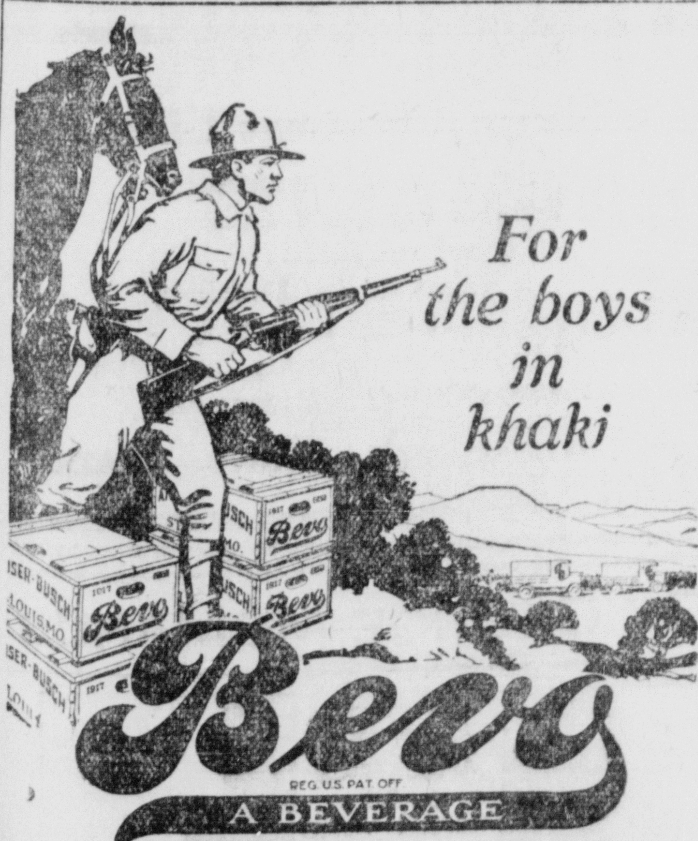
**ED. KLEVER**

BLOOMINGBURG, OHIO

## 'Where There's a Will There's a Way'

But where there is nothing to will the  
way is a hard one for the widow.

Talk It Over With **TACCART** LIFE INSURANCE MAN



For  
the boys  
in  
khaki

**Bevo**  
A BEVERAGE

Bevo is a great favorite in the Army Canteens, where  
none but pure, soft drinks may be sold. After drill  
or march, you are sure to see a long line of hot and  
dusty-throated soldier boys making a bee line for  
Bevo. They know that there lies complete satisfac-  
tion, full refreshment and pure wholesomeness.

At home or abroad—at work or play—between meals  
or with meals, you will appreciate what we have  
done for you in making this triumph in soft drinks.  
You will find Bevo at inns, restaurants, groceries, department  
and drug stores, picnic grounds, baseball parks, soda fountains,  
dining cars, in the navy, at canteens, at mobilization camps  
and other places where refreshing beverages are sold.

Bevo—the all-year-round soft drink

Guard against substitutes. Have the bottle opened in front of you,  
first seeing that the seal is unbroken and that the crown top  
bears the Fox. Sold in bottles only, and bottled exclusively by

ANHEUSER-BUSCH, ST. LOUIS

The Dahl-Campbell Co.

Dealers WASHINGTON C. H. O.

## SERGEANT W. B. HYER IS ENJOYING LIFE ACROSS THE OCEAN

Following are some extracts of let-  
ters written by Sergeant W. B. Hyer,  
son of Dr. A. A. Hyer, of this city, to  
Mrs. Hyer, and will be read with in-  
terest by his host of friends in this  
community:

Somewhere on the Ocean.

November 4, 1917.

We have had very good weather  
so far during our voyage and have  
not been seasick at all, am enjoying  
the best of health. We should reach  
land some time real soon. This is  
surely a wonderful trip and some-  
thing that very few of us would ever  
had the privilege of doing. We do  
not think of the danger of submar-  
ines as we have a goodly convoy and  
the greatest confidence in our Cap-  
tain and he sure knows his business.

This is Sunday and all the boys  
have shaved and cleaned up and some  
of them are singing and enjoying life  
in general. A number of the boys  
are asking me to have you remem-  
ber them to their wives and relatives  
and friends. Capt. Hardway says to  
say he is well and as happy as could  
be expected. Also Lt. Johnson, Cook,  
Pearl Smith and Earl Slaven and  
all the rest say they have enjoyed  
the trip. We are excellently fed and  
cared for in every respect and have  
all the conveniences we could expect.  
We are going to have Church tonight  
in the mess hall and during the week  
we have all kinds of entertainment  
then. Give my regards to everybody.  
Will write more at a later date but  
at the present time it is impossible  
to write any particulars so try and  
be satisfied with what we can write.

Somewhere in France

November 13, 1917.

We are still here and that is the  
most I can say at the present. We are  
making the ship our headquarters.  
French boats come out to the vessel  
containing women and men. We  
can't tell what they are saying so we  
just laugh and make the best of it.  
But you can believe me it will only  
be a short time until we will be  
speaking French like a native. I am  
only sorry I did not take up French  
while in school as it surely would  
have been a great advantage to me  
now. We are all anxious to get  
started somewhere so we can see  
some of the country as I have heard  
so much about the beauties of France  
and besides we want to be doing  
something because time drags heavy  
sometimes. There is a piano on  
board and the boys sure do keep it  
going to the different tunes that are  
dear to a soldier's heart. Music  
surely helps to keep our spirits up  
and to wear off homesickness and  
we surely need something of that  
kind until we get acclimated and  
versed in the language.

Somewhere in France

Now I can finally say that we are  
somewhere in France. I think some-  
times I am dreaming for everything  
seems so peaceful. It does not seem  
possible that mighty battles are rag-  
ing some miles from here. I wish I  
could find words to describe the  
quaint and beautiful spot. It certainly  
can be classed as one of the beau-  
tiful spots of the world.

Today we are enjoying the best of

health, and are all in high spirits,

possibly the reason is because we are  
so well fed and cared for. Coming  
over we all gathered in the mess  
hall each evening for amusement.  
We had boxing, wrestling matches,  
singing and kept the piano busy all  
the way over. It possibly needs tuning  
now, though. Chief Kennedy says  
that he is growing a cute little must-  
ache equal to any Frenchman and,  
he surely does look like one. Tell  
everybody not to worry about us, for  
as yet, there is nothing to worry  
about, as it will be some time before  
we get near the firing line.

I will write as often as possible  
and say as much as allowed. So give  
all my friends my regards, and tell  
them I'd like to hear from them oc-  
casionaly.

SERG. W. B. HYER.

Co. M, 166th Inf.

A. E. F. via New York.

## REGISTRANTS WHO GET QUESTIONAIRES

The serial numbers of the regis-  
trants to whom questionnaires were  
mailed out by the Local Board, Satur-  
day, include all registrants between  
the numbers 2 and 103, inclusive, who  
are not now in training. Seventy-five  
questionnaires were mailed out as the  
first percentage to be sent, and an addi-  
tional 75 will be mailed each day  
until all are sent out.

Registrants must not ask the Local  
Board to fill out blanks for them, but  
must apply to the attorneys, who will  
be found at the court house at desig-  
nated hours.

Addressed to the registrants to  
whom questionnaires are mailed, is the  
following warning:

"There has this day been mailed to  
you a questionnaire which you are re-  
quired by law to execute and return  
within seven days from date hereof.  
"Failure to do so constitutes a mis-  
demeanor punishable by not to ex-  
ceed one year's imprisonment; and  
such failure may also deprive you of  
valuable rights and results in your  
immediate induction into military  
service and trial by court-martial."

## BIG SERVICE FLAG FOR WASHINGTON HI

It is the desire of the faculty and  
student body of Washington High  
school that the school have the large-  
est service flag in the city.

At present there are about seventy-  
five former students of Washington  
High school who are known to be in  
their country's service.

All who know of any one in the ser-  
vice who was formerly a student in  
the school should notify the High  
School Principal, O. K. Probasco. Any  
one who was ever on the school roster  
is eligible to have his star on the flag.

The high school is represented by  
several commissioned officers in  
France, among them being Major Rell  
G. Allen, First Lieutenant Billie Paul,  
Lieutenant Robert Johnson and Lieut-  
enant Robert Lanum.

The flag will be completed in the  
near future, and unfurled with appro-  
priate ceremonies.

## STOVE INSTALLED IN ENGINE HOUSE

Owing to the cold weather, it has  
been found necessary to install a  
coal heating stove in the engine house  
to keep the motor truck from freez-  
ing.

Should the engine become frozen,  
along with the water shortage, the  
city might suffer a serious loss from  
fire.

The engine house is heated from  
the Central Heating plant, but this  
has not proven adequate to keep the  
building warm at all times, and pro-  
vide comfortable quarters for the fire-  
men.

## PATRIOTIC GREETING CARDS

Your friends as well as the boys in  
Camp will appreciate your name on  
a Patriotic Christmas Greeting Card.  
Ask to see them at Rodecker's News  
Stand.

MEERSCHAUM PIPES, MONEY  
BELTS, FOR YOUR SOLDIER BOY.  
HETTESHEIMER, JEWELER.

## LAWYERS TO AID IN DRAFT

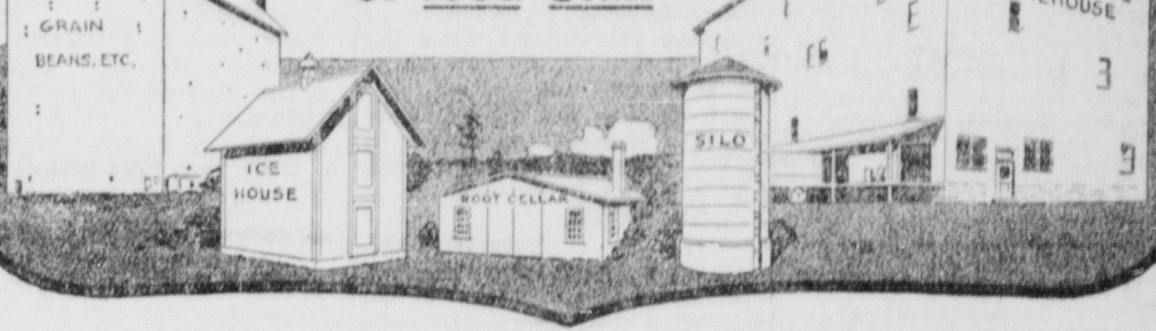
WORK FREE OF CHARGE  
At a meeting held on the 7th of De-  
cember the members of the Fayette  
county bar, with the approval of

## 3 Reasons for BUILDING NOW

Rats Destroy \$100,000,000  
every Year of Poorly  
Housed Grain—BUILD  
NOW and fool the rats

DON'T USE \$1.10 CORN FOR FUEL!  
Build a Warm Stable and Hog House  
and the Stock won't have to  
Eat to Keep Warm.

DO YOUR BIT!—Furnish a  
proper building to take  
care of every pound  
of Food Stuff



While our Government is bending every effort to feed  
our allies in the war, the American farmers should "do  
their best" and house their live stock and food products  
with good buildings.

We can furnish you the Keith Corporation and Radford  
Architectural Plan Service Free of Charge. And the mod-  
ern method is to have plans for any kind of building you  
wish to construct. Call at our office and talk these matters  
over. Now is the time to lay your plans for spring build-  
ing.

## The Washington Lumber Co.

Broadway & Sycamore Sts.,

J. E. Sheppard, Mgr.

Judge Carpenter, unanimously adopted  
the following resolution which ex-  
plains itself:

RESOLVED, that it is the sense of  
this meeting of members of the bar  
of Fayette County, that commencing  
on the 15th day of December, 1917,  
and until the final conclusion of re-  
ducing to writing the Questionnaire,  
required of registrants for military  
service from this county, the work of  
the Common Pleas Court of said County  
shall be suspended, and that all the  
members of the bar of the County  
shall devote their time as nearly ex-  
clusively as possible to assisting in  
the answering of said Questionnaire,  
and that the Court Room of the Com-  
mon Pleas Court shall be headquar-  
ters for the general supervision and  
distribution of the work of members  
of the bar in assisting in the answer-  
ing of said Questionnaire.

RESOLVED, Further, that each  
member of the bar mentioned shall  
report at the Court Room on each  
morning during such period at 9  
o'clock for gratuitous service, and

that registrants required to answer  
said Questionnaire, desiring the as-  
sistance of members of the bar in  
meeting the requirements, are re-  
quested to apply at the same time  
and place.

RESOLVED Further, that a copy of

this resolution be furnished for pub-  
lication to each of the newspapers  
published in this county, and that  
said newspapers be requested forth-  
with to publish the same and con-  
tinue said publication during the en-  
tire period.

## Now Handling The General

A 5,000-mile guarantee tire. Will take your  
old tires in on new tires and allow you 15 per  
cent. for them.

No tire repair work is too difficult  
for us to handle.

## THE KIER VULCANIZING PLANT.

South Fayette St.

Opp. Washington Milling Co

# We Have Installed An Innovation

Rough Dry Family Washings—Same Quality as Always and at the same old price of 6c the pound—  
—Saves Fuel in Addition to Saving Your Labor.  
There is a useful little article for each and every woman who will call at our Laundry for the same.

WHEREBY FAMILY WASHINGS ARE COMPLETELY FINISHED—WASHED AND IRONED  
—AND DELIVERED READY TO PUT AWAY

For Information Regarding This New Service, Inquire at the Office of the Laundry. Both Phones.

## Larrimer Laundry

### CLASSIFIED

#### RATES PER WORD.

One time in Daily Herald.....1c  
6t in Herald & 1t in Register.....3c  
12t in Herald & 4t in Register.....4c  
26t in Herald & 8t in Register.....6c  
52t in Herald & 8t in Register.....10c  
Additional time 1c a word per week.  
Minimum Charge: 1t 15c; 6t 30c.

#### FOR RENT

FOR RENT—All or part of double house. Gas and both kinds water. Automatic 4953. Harvey Culbertson, Bell 403-R. 292 16

FOR RENT—One furnished front room Worthington Bldg. Heat and light included. Corner Market and Main, Automatic 9201, Mrs. Strobel. 291 1f

FOR RENT—Barn. Inquire 339 E. Court street, Margaret Bahen. 291 16

FOR RENT—Six room house on Blackstone avenue. Fayette Renting Agency Rooms 6 and 7 Pavey Bldg. 287 1f

FOR RENT—7 room house, bath, furnace, electric light and all conveniences. Inquire Dr. R. M. Hughey. 283 1f

FOR RENT—Half of double house on Paint street, six rooms and fully equipped bath room. Both kinds of water and gas. W. A. Saunders. 267 1f

FOR RENT—One half double house on Elm Street, five rooms, gas, water. Call automatic 22771. 255 1f

FOR RENT—7-room house, bath, hot water heat. Fayette street, V. J. Dahl. 243 1f

FOR RENT—Seven room house, semi-modern, square and a half from court house. Earl R. Barnett. 217 1f

#### FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Kindling, wood. Mrs. C. L. Craig, Automatic 4671. 293 1f

FOR SALE—Gas heating stoves. Auto 4431; Bell 807. 293 16

FOR SALE—Portable gas heating stove. Call H. R. Rodecker. 292 1f

FOR SALE—Ford touring car. Well equipped, good condition. Sprenger at Ortman Motor Co. 292 16

FOR SALE—Collapsible brown reed baby cart. Mrs. Howard McLean, Automatic 5302. 291 1f

FOR SALE—Leather upholstered davenport. Call Auto. 22471. 285 1f

FOR SALE—1917 model Ford touring car. Call Automatic 7591. 280 1f

FOR SALE—Our entire stock of Storm Buggies for quick cash or short time sale at the old price, no advance; 100 Ford Firestone Inner tubes \$2.25 each while they last. Patterson, in Greenfield. 265 1f

FOR SALE—Underwood typewriter, good condition. One large iron safe. A bargain. The Ortman Motor Company. 244 1f

#### WANTED

WANTED—Girls, experienced power machine operators given preference. Millers and Manufacturers Service Co., Bell phone. 293 1f

WANTED—Two modern house-keeping rooms, close in Box 203, city. 290 16

WANTED—To rent a farm of 100 acres or more. Responsible party. Box 222 Washington Court House. 287 1f

WANTED—To buy your old feather beds, Haynes Furniture Company. 185 1f

MONEY LOANED—On live stock, chattels and second mortgages. Notes bought. John Harbine, Jr., Allen Building, Xenia, Ohio. 4-30-18

YOUR FURNITURE—Refinished in French Gray, Old Ivory, Mission, or to match your hangings. Upholstering and repolishing. For estimates and samples see Haynes Furniture Company.

#### LOST AND FOUND

FOUND—Open wool, black face, buck sheep, strayed to my place about week ago. Owner may have same by proving claim, paying for advt. and board of sheep. E. L. Parrett, Good Hope. 294 16

LOST—White Bull Terrier dog, Dec. 4th. \$5 reward if returned to John Rowe, Automatic phone 12241. 293 16

LOST—Child's tan kid glove. Leave at Herald office. 293 12

STRAYED—Real large white and tiger striped Tom cat; reward if returned to Mrs. J. M. Baker. 291 16

### EGGS

Are your hens laying? If not you are losing money every day. Feed is expensive and why feed a lot of hens that don't lay?

Eggs are now selling at 50 cts. to 75 cts. a dozen in the cities and they may reach \$1.00.

People who fed the famous "Prescription No. 4" to their hens last season are stocking up again this season. It will fill your egg basket if properly fed, and no person with a half dozen or more hens should be without it this winter.

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### City Churches

#### McNAIR MEMORIAL

##### PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Rev. D. H. Rejy, Pastor.  
Sunday School 9:30 a. m. Mrs. M. O. Ireland, Supt.

Morning Public Worship 10:30 a. m. sermon by Mr. O. K. Probasco. Christian Endeavor Prayer Meeting 6:30 p. m.

Evening Public Worship 7:30 p. m. sermon, "True Saints."  
Thursday 7 p. m. prayer meeting, topic, "Why Prayer Must Be Answered."

Thursday 8 p. m. Choir practice. A cordial welcome to all.

#### St. Andrews Episcopal

##### CHURCH

Cor. Fayette and East Streets.

D. W. BARRE, Rector

December 16th, 1917—The Third Sunday in Advent.

Sunday School at 9:30 a. m. Morning prayer and sermon by the rector at 10:30 a. m.

Vesper at 4 o'clock. Evening Prayer and sermon by the rector.

A cordial invitation to all services at St. Andrews is extended to all not attending services elsewhere.

#### CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY

##### Masonic Temple

Authorized branch of The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Massachusetts.

SerVICES—Sunday 11 o'clock. Subject, "God the Preserver of Man."

Sunday School 9:45.

Mid-Week testimony meeting, Wednesday 8 p. m.

Reading room open daily, except Sunday and legal holidays, 2 to 4 p. m.

The public is cordially welcome.

#### PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

##### Wm. Boynton Gage, Pastor.

Coal has been arranged for, and the services of the day will be held as usual in the church.

Sabbath School at 9:00 a. m. Supt. Carey Persinger.

Morning Worship at 10:30 a. m. sermon, "Our Present Day Predatory Practices." Biblical study of coal, and the Christ.

Junior Christian Endeavor Society at 2:00 p. m.

Senior Christian Endeavor Society at 6:20 p. m.

At 7:30 p. m. the pastor will preach on, Well's book, "The Soul of a Bishop," deferred from last week.

#### METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH

##### Arthur P. Cherrington Pastor.

Sunday School 9:00 a. m. Herman Price, Supt.

District Supt. J. C. Jackson has secured. Rev. C. E. Flynn, publicity secretary of the All Ohio Education-Jubilee Campaign to be present tomorrow at the Gleaning Service.

Class Meeting 2:30 p. m.

Public Worship 7:30 p. m.

Quarterly Conference, Friday 7:30 p. m.

Group meetings this week:

S. Main-Hinde, Monday 7:30 p. m. at the Geo. Davis home, 617, S. Main street.

Leesburg, Wednesday 2 p. m. at the Wm. Holmes residence, Leesburg Ave.

N. Hinde-Main, Wednesday 7:30 p. m. at the Dr. Soddors home, N. Hinde street.

S. North, Friday 7:30 p. m. at the Joe Gillespie home 515 S. North.

Every woman in each group, not identified with any other local church is most cordially invited to meet with the Methodist women of that group.

#### WESLEY CHAPEL

Wesley Chapel Sunday School 2:00 p. m.

Mid-Week service, Wednesday 7:30 p. m.

#### CHURCH OF CHRIST

G. E. Groves, Minister.

9 a. m. Bible School Jas. Minshall Supt., lesson: "Nehemiah Enforced the Law of the Sabbath."

This is followed without intermission by the communion service and preaching, sermon subject, "Answering the World's Call For Help."

1:30 to 4:00 the annual every member canvass will be made at this time by thirty people. Every member of the church is requested to remain at home until visited by one of those teams.

6:30 p. m. Christian Endeavor subject, "Christ Our Peace," leader, Miss Mary Sexton.

7:30 p. m. Evening Worship subject, "Christ's Call For Men."

A welcome and a message for you.

#### FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

##### Rev. George L. Hart, Pastor.

Sunday School at 9:15 a. m. J. Howard Hicks, supt.

Morning worship and sermon at 10:30 a. m.

In the evening at 7:30 p. m. the pastor will preach the third sermon in the series, "War Calls." The special topic is "The Call to Mobilization."

Junior B. Y. P. U. at 2:30 p. m.

Senior B. Y. P. U. at 6:45 p. m.

Thursday night at 7:30 Prayer Meeting with Bible study Acts 15:13-41.

A cordial invitation to worship with us if not otherwise engaged.

#### RODGER'S CHAPEL A. M. E.

Rev. John Coleman, D. D.

No announcements furnished.

#### CINDERS CAUSE FIRE

##### LATE LAST NIGHT

Thursday night about eleven o'clock the fire department was called upon to make a hurried run to extinguish fire in a car of cinders east of Fayette St. on the C. H. & D.

When the truck reached the car, it was literally a roaring furnace.

It was agreed upon that the water work should start pumping from the reserve supply, should there be a fire, but the fire department was unable to get the water works by telephone, and had quite a task in extinguishing the blaze.

#### PARKER PASSES

##### PHYSICAL TEST

A telegram from David Parker, former physical director of the Y. M. C. A. received by Acting General Secretary, Geo. H. Hitchcock, announces that Parker has passed the physical examination, and will return Saturday evening for a few

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